

Amendments to the Specification

Please add the following new paragraph in page 2, between lines 17 and 18:

--Fig. 1 of U.S. Patent 5,315,448, in its upper left portion, illustrates an analog video signal indicated by "A" supplied at input terminal 12 which in turn is coupled to an ACP (anti-copy process) detector 26 and an analog to digital converter 16. When an analog (NTSC) video signal is received at terminal 12, upon detecting the presence of a copy protection signal ACP detector 26 generates a disable recording control signal on line 28. The control signal then disables (for instance) the analog to digital converter. Alternatively, the analog video signal at terminal 12 is converted to the desired digital format at converter 16, which provides a digital video signal "D" at its output.--